

Social and Personal

The Easter season opened brilliantly with the Easter german, given under the auspices of the Richmond Assembly, last evening in the Masonic Temple with Mr. John Parrish leading.

Chaperones of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Temple Burnley, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Quarles, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Guest, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Tallaferr and others.

Among the young ladies dancing were: Miss Margaret Watkins, in yellow liberty, white shirred, with puffed sleeves and trimmed with white lace and yellow roses.

Miss Mittle Dobson, the guest of Mrs. Edmund Waddell, black net embroidered in jet, violets.

Miss Mary Stevens, of New York, in white accordion-plaited crepe de chine, white lace yoke and borte.

Miss Katherine Newbill, of Norfolk, white liberty satin, embroidered in gold; old gold girdle of crush satin.

Miss Carrie Leftwich, in champagne colored silk, ecru lace, lilacs of the valley.

Miss Louise McAdams, in red chiffon, accordion-plaited, necktie of black and old gold.

Miss Rebecca Anderson, of Ocala, Fla., in pink chiffon, with pearl embroidery.

Miss Edith Grant, white embroidered chiffon, point.

Miss Rose Morris, in pink silk mull, panels and yoke of white lace, pink ribbon girdle.

Miss Helen Stevens, in white embroidered chiffon; accordion-plaited, and lace ruffles.

Miss Burwell, of Annapolis, in white liberty satin; violets.

Miss Nellie Gordon, white silk mull over pink; violets.

Miss Louise Purcell, in white point d'esprit over white silk; violets.

Miss Louise Selden, in black chiffon, tucked; girdle of black velvet ribbon.

Miss Nan Morris, in canary colored silk mull; girdle of yellow liberty satin.

Miss Elise Parkinson, in white point d'esprit over blue liberty satin; violets.

Miss Mildred Woodward, in white liberty satin and chiffon; pearls.

Miss Carter Warren, of Harrisonburg, in pink crepe de chine; American Beauty.

Miss Mary Tucker, of Danville, in white lace and chiffon over white silk.

Miss Potts, from West Virginia, in white silk grenadine interwoven with lace; white liberty satin ribbon girdle.

Miss Madge Bolling, in black embroidered net; crush girdle red silk poppies.

Miss Crutchfield, of Fredericksburg, in accordion-plaited blue crepe de chine; blue satin girdle.

Miss Edith Seymour, in white elamine trimmed with white silk and silver applique; white satin girdle.

Miss Nancy Cooke, in violet colored silk mull; white satin girdle and stock; violets.

Mrs. Charles Evelyn Smith, in rose pink chiffon, embroidered in pink buds and green leaves and trimmed with narrow pink ribbon; violets.

Mrs. Randolph Meade, in embroidered lace over satin; violets.

Mrs. James J. Hickey, in blue crepe de chine, chiffon and lace.

Gentlemen dancing were: Mr. John Parrish, Mr. Gesner Harrison, Mr. John L. de Treville, Mr. Richard Bldgood, Mr. Henry Carrington, Mr. Stanford Parker, Mr. Bernard Guest, Mr. Stewart Woodward, Mr. H. L. Burnley, Mr. Edward Quarles, Mr. James J. Hickey, Messrs. Brockenbrough, Whitehurst, Adair, Fleet, Carter, of Boston; Nash, Hill, Cooke, Grant, Selden, Hubbard, Slaughter, Ellett, Caperton, Drake, Anderson, Gordon, Fletcher, Montague, Willis and Carter, of New York.

Weddings of To-day.

Three fashionable weddings will engage the thoughts of Richmond's smart set to-day.

Miss Helen Temple Southall and Mr. Stuart Mortimer Conant will be quietly married in Holy Trinity Church at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the Rev. Dr. Clarence Mortimer Conant officiating.

Miss Alice Blanche Ayres and Mr. William Ayres Reynolds will be wedded in the home of the bride, No. 111 East Franklin Street, at 5:20 o'clock this afternoon by the Rev. George Cooper.

(The wedding of Miss Elise Calvin Briggs to Mr. Granville Valentine will be celebrated at 8:30 o'clock this evening in St. Paul's by the Rev. Dr. Robert Strange.)

Selden-Holland.

Among the fashionable weddings of Easter will be that of Miss Florence Augusta Holland, of "Holland Hill," Henrico county, to Mr. W. Tyler Selden.

The ceremony will be performed at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, in Meade Memorial Church. The bridal party will be entertained to-night at the bride's home.

Miss Florence Borden Golf Champion.

Miss Florence Borden, of Fall River, Mass., remembered in Richmond as the attractive guest of Miss Sara Harvie, has just won the woman's golf championship of Southern California against Miss Elizabeth Robertson, of Chicago, the champion golf player of Illinois.

The game was played last week at the Pasadena Country Club's links, and was witnessed by a large and enthusiastic gallery audience.

A gold medal was awarded Miss Borden, who captured the silver loving cup that has been for the last year in the possession of the Pasadena Country Club, and will take it East to decorate the Fall River Club house for the season.

Miss Borden is a member of the old and wealthy Borden family, who have for generations been owners of the largest cotton mills in New England.

At the Woman's Club.

Tea was served at the Woman's Club in very jolly fashion yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Preston Coke poured tea and Mrs. John Howard Southall chocolate.

Dr. James P. Smith, who was to have given his lecture on "Stonewall" Jackson, was unable to appear on account of a severe cold, to the great regret of all present.

Dr. John B. Clarke, of Columbia College, who is here to give the lecture in the Thomas lecture hall, will give an informal talk before the club Wednesday afternoon. The distinction which Dr. Clarke enjoys is a brilliant guarantee for all who may have

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try

Jell-O,

a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day, 10 cts.

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A La SPIRTE CORSETS

ALL STRAIGHT FRONT MODELS

POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Elliot Norton.

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The Building of the Ship.

By LONGFELLOW.

Prose was not Longfellow's stronghold; so, after the failure of his story of "Kavanaugh," he devoted himself more exclusively than ever to poetry. About 1850 appeared his book of poems entitled "The Seaside and the Fireside," in which was included "The Building of the Ship." An extract from it is given below. "As a poem for recitation," says Prof. Eric Robertson, "this is probably as effective as anything that Longfellow wrote. Yet in reading it we are constantly reminded that there is no border line between prose and poetry. The general style of thought belongs almost more to oratory than to the methods of fustian poetry. More oratory! Yes, it is; but finer than the finest of Webster or Sumner."

Other selections from Longfellow, his portrait, autograph and biographical sketch have already been printed in this series.

THEN the Master,
With a gesture of command,
Waved his hand;
And at the word,
Loud and sudden there was heard,
All around them and below,
The sound of hammers, blow on blow,
Knocking away the shores and spurs,
And steel she stirred!

She starts,—she moves,—she seems to feel
The thrill of life along her keel,
And, spurring with her foot the ground,
With one exulting, joyous bound,
She leaps into the ocean's arms!

And lo! from the assembled crowd
There rose a shout, prolonged and loud,
That to the ocean seemed to say,
"Take her, O bridegroom, old and gray,
Take her to thy protecting arms,
With all her youth and all her charms!"

How beautiful she is! How fair
She lies within those arms, that press
Her form with many a soft caress
Of tenderness and watchful care!
Sail forth into the sea, O ship!
Through wind and wave, right onward steer!
The mistletoe eye, the trembling lip,
Are not the signs of doubt or fear.

Sail forth into the sea of life,
O gentle, loving, trusting wife,
And safe from all adversity
Upon the bosom of that sea
Thy comings and thy goings be!
For gentleness and love and trust
Prevail o'er angry wave and gust;
And in the wreck of noble lives
Something immortal still survives!

Thou, too, sail on, O Ship of State!
Sail on, O Union, strong and great!
Humanity with all its fears,
With all the hopes of future years,
Is hanging breathless on thy fate!
We know what Master laid thy keel,
What Workmen wrought thy ribs of steel,
Who made each mast, and sail, and rope,
What anvils rang, what hammers beat,
In what a forge and with what heat
Were shaped the anchors of thy hope!
Fear not each sudden sound and shock,
'T is of the wave and not the rock;
'T is but the flapping of the sail,
And not a rent made by the gale!
In spite of rock and tempest's roar,
In spite of false lights on the shore,
Sail on, nor fear to breast the sea!
Our hearts, our hopes, are all with thee,
Our hearts, our hopes, our prayers, our tears,
Our faith triumphant o'er our fears,
Are all with thee,—are all with thee!



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the privilege of meeting him in Richmond at the Woman's Club or elsewhere.

Mrs. John Sidney Davenport's At Home Thursday.

Among the smart social events of the week will be Mrs. John Sidney Davenport's "at home" Thursday next from 4 to 7 P. M., in No. 604 West Franklin Street.

Mrs. Davenport before her marriage was Miss Marguerite Warwick. Her wedding was a brilliant episode of the winter season.

Personal Mention.

Miss Mary Tucker, of Danville, Va., is the guest of Mrs. J. J. Montague, and will remain through the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Harriet V. Cowles and Miss Harriet Truitt Cowles, of Williamsburg, are the Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley R. Cowles at No. 215 East Franklin Street.

A musicale will be given at the Home for Needy Confederate Women Thursday, April 7th, from 5 to 7 P. M. The friends of the Home are cordially invited to attend.

A most enjoyable afternoon may be anticipated, as some leading Richmond musicians have kindly lent their aid to this most worthy movement. Ice cream and cake will be served and the Home will be prettily decorated.

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To visit friends in Baltimore, Mr. Gattett Tabb is touring the West on business.

Miss Lily Pegram and Miss Anna Deane Carr attended a dance given Saturday evening at the Norfolk Country Club by Miss Mary and Miss Fannie Royster, of Norfolk.

The Norfolk and Old Point German Club will give their Easter dance on Thursday evening, April 7th, at the Chamberlain, under the management of Mr. Claggett Young. As this is the height of the season at Old Point, and a large number of guests registered there, this dance will be an unusually large and brilliant affair.

Misses Clara and Hannah Rubin, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., are making their home at No. 512 East Franklin Street.

The rabbit party and sale will be held at Mrs. B. H. Wadell's, No. 8 North Sixth Street, to-day, from 4 to 7 P. M. No admission charged and refreshments served. The proceeds of the sale will be for the benefit of missions.

Mr. and Mrs. George Francis Willis, whose wedding was a recent Kentucky society event, were charmingly entertained en route to their future home in Atlanta, Ga., by Mrs. Emma Willis, of North Carolina, who gave an elegant reception in their honor, attended by more than a hundred guests.

Mrs. Willis is remembered by many friends here as Miss Bowers, the daughter of the late John Bowers.

Miss Mahel Walker is the guest of Miss Alice Kelley, in Ghent, Norfolk.

Miss Phoenia Dillon spent Easter with her sister, Mrs. Short, near Arlington, Va. Master George Dillon is visiting relatives in Petersburg. Dr. C. C. Dillon, of Farmville, Va., spent Sunday and Monday with his mother, Mrs. S. D. Dillon, of No. 621 China Street, Richmond.

Miss Katherine Phillips is the guest of Mrs. C. R. Moore, of Newport News.

Mrs. J. W. Austin, of Longdale, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. Berry, at No. 501 West Clay Street.

Mrs. Daisy Brannan, of No. 1400 West Main Street, who has been very ill, is now able to sit up.

Among the many who will accompany the Commonwealth Club party to the launching at Newport News to-day will be Miss Ruby Bodiker.

The Rev. Dr. Clarence Mortimer Conant, the rector of the Episcopal Church of Pinesville, Va., is spending a few days in Richmond.

DIED FROM INJURIES.

Young Man Who Fell Over Baluster Could Not Recover.

As the result of injuries sustained last week by falling over the baluster in the building at Ninth and Cary Streets, Mr. Patrick Theodore Moore died at 8 o'clock Sunday night. He did not regain consciousness.

The accident that resulted in the death of Mr. Moore was peculiar, and has never been entirely explained. He was found, bruised and battered and unconscious, upon the floor, where he had evidently fallen from a considerable distance above. He was attended by the physicians of the City Hospital, and every effort was made to pull him around, but without effect. Coroner Taylor said last night that the case had not been reported to him, and that he did not expect to hold an inquest. The young man was a son of the late Mary Randolph and General P. M. Moore.

The funeral will take place at 11 o'clock this morning from the residence of his sister, Mrs. George Lathrop, No. 318 East Franklin Street. The interment will be made privately.

Will Restore Plant.

The portion of the fertilizer plant of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company destroyed by fire about a year ago will be restored very shortly. Plans and specifications are now being drawn by Engineer C. G. Lequembourg. About \$80,000 will be expended, and when the work is completed the plant will be in better shape than ever.

SCIENCE SCORES AGAIN.

A Preparation That Will Destroy the Dandruff Germ Discovered.

Finally the scientific student has discovered a certain remedy for dandruff. When it first became known that dandruff is the result of a germ or parasite that digs into the scalp and causes the itching of hair at the root, causing falling hair and baldness, biologists set to work to discover some preparation that will kill the germ. After a year's labor in one laboratory, the dandruff germ was discovered, and it is now embodied in Newbro's Herpicide. It prevents baldness, stops falling hair and speedily eradicates dandruff. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect," said Dr. J. C. Walker, president of the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Owens and Minor Drug Co., Special Agents.

LAUNCHING BATTLESHIP "VIRGINIA" SPECIAL RATES VIA C. & O. ROUTE.

In addition to the \$1.50 excursions arranged from Richmond to Newport News on April 5th, account of launching of the Virginia, the Chesapeake and Ohio will also sell tickets from Richmond to Newport News and return on April 4th, and for 9:00 A. M. train of April 5th, to Newport News and return, with limit of April 6th, at rate of \$2.50, round trip.

Rent a box in the strong fire and burglar proof vault of The State Bank of Virginia. Charges moderate.

GOOD LUCK

MAKES BREAD THAT FATTENS

BAKING POWDER.

Fourquarean, Temple & Co. Fourquarean, Temple & Co.

Authoritative Fashions for Spring.

The Easter parade is over. The calendar has forced fashion to reveal herself much earlier than usual, and to-day her authoritative secrets are yours. You can choose now with all certainty that your selections are in keeping with good form as prescribed by immediate style conditions.

You can come here for whatever is newest and best—for whatever is most attractive and commendable.

If this early Easter has given you a hint towards your spring outfit—correct materials or garments ready to wear—let us handle it.

Our facilities lead to satisfaction—let us prove it. To-day's exhibit of spring garments is interesting and instructive—

Ultra Stylah Gowns, very best models.....\$12.00 to \$50.00
Jaunty Spring Jackets, approved styles.....\$7.50 to \$17.50
Skirts in dressy styles and walking lengths.....\$5.00 to \$15.00
Swell Silk Waists, newest cuts procurable.....\$5.00 to \$18.00

Correct Dress Goods.

Popularity in spring Dress Goods seesaws between Mohairs and Voiles. Mohair for the hack dress, for comfort, for traveling, for hard service, stands more wear and tear, shows more style and looks fresh longer than any other material made. Voile for the dressy gown is subject to endless effective treatment—dressy, refined, becoming. Both weaves and others are here in satisfying profusion.

Mohairs at.....50c. to \$2.00
Nub Voiles at.....50c. to \$1.25
Albatross at.....30c. to 50c

Voiles at.....50c. to \$1.50
Eolines at.....\$1.00 to \$1.25
Batistes, unusual value.....50c

At \$2—All Linen Hemmed Huck Towels, damask borders, full size.

At \$3—All Linen Extra Heavy Hemstitched Huck Towels, damask borders, full bleached.

Two Splendid Values in Towels.

Housekeepers will be glad to know about these—they would be unusual under any conditions, but with linens advancing by jumps and bounds, they demand your attention.

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New Neck Ruchings.

Nothing appeals so forcefully to the woman of refinement as some fresh, dainty fixing for the neck—nothing is more effective or becoming. Ruchings are filling wants of this sort at present and our superb assortment is doing it most satisfactorily. Newest patterns, white or colors—

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